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Mr. Troy Brady Surface Transportation Board 1925 Cape Street, Suite 500 Washington, D.C. 20423

Re:

Docket No. AB-303 (Sub-No. 30X), Wisconsin Central Ltd.

-Abandonment Exemption- in Manitowoc, Manitowoc County, Wisconsin

Dear Mr. Brady:

On September 28, 2007, Wisconsin Central Ltd. ("WCL") sent for filing its Environmental and Historic Report to the Surface Transportation Board, to the attention of Mr. Vernon Williams.

Contained in the Historic portion of the Report, the Wisconsin Historic Preservation Officer, Mr. Sherman Banker, asked for "further consultation" with respect to two bridges on this proposed abandonment. To help expedite this process, WCL has contacted a company that is an approved vendor of the Wisconsin Historical Society, to inquire as to the possibility of photographs being taken of the subject bridges. The Mississippi Valley Archaeology Center has provided WCL with an estimate of costs for such a project.

Please contact me at your earliest convenience if this is something that the STB would like WCL to pursue. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas J. Healey

Attorney for Wisconsin Central Ltd.